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In re Application of: Steve Brandstetter

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GAMING DEVICE BONUSING SYSTEM

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed June 19, 2002.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please change the Title of the Invention from "Gaming Device Bonusing

System" to --Coin Counter and Ticket Dispenser for a Game Machine--;

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please delete the Abstract and replace with:

-- A system and method for paying out a bonus to a player playing a gaming machine.

The device counts the coins placed in the machine and dispenses a ticket.--